

Minutes  
PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD  
June 26, 1979

The Parks and Recreation Board met for its regular meeting at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 26, 1979, at the Parks and Recreation Department. Present were Mr. Garrison, Chairman; Mr. Hall, Vice Chairman; Mr. Bray, Secretary; and members Mrs. Arnold, Mr. Britton, Mr. Coffee, Ms. Doering, Miss Dominguez, Mrs. Isely, Mr. Nalle, Mr. Ramos and Mr. Shaw. Mr. Mark Rose was absent. Members Emeritus absent were Mr. Coates and Mrs. Crenshaw. Staff members present included Leonard Ehrler, Roy Guerrero, Dorothy Nan McLean, Bob Delaney, Donna Brasher, Cliff Warrick, Danny Hobby, Preston Wheeler, Crystal Stewart, Frank Hodge and Louise Nivison. Visitors included Mr. Gordon Hall, U. T. Water Ski Team; Raul Valdez, League of United Chicano Artists; Linda Cannon, Building Department; Jeff Thompson, Bill Ebert, Sloan Brooks, Darryl Capparelli and Don Bice, Capital City Trap and Skeet Club; Leonard Spivey, Troy Talley, Don Shults and Jerry Krizan, Delwood Optimist Club; Jose M. Gil, P.E., Gil Engineering Associates; Captain Pete Bagley; Eddie Hansler; Art Keller, Aqua Festival; Edward Rendon, Mary Muniz, Pete Martinez, Maria Alma, Tino Cruz, Sr., and Sam Hernandez, East Town Lake Citizens; Col. J. M. Beal, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department; Ms. Janet Stockard; Mr. Bob Gregory; and Mr. Don Harris, Top Spin Raquet Club.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m., by Mr. Garrison, Chairman.

Mr. Garrison read a letter to Ms. Janet Stockard from the Parks and Recreation Board thanking her for her service and interest in serving on the Parks and Recreation Board.

Mr. Garrison introduced Ms. Linda Doering, newly Council appointed member of the Parks and Recreation Board and welcomed her.

Mr. Garrison asked for approval of the minutes of the meeting of May 22, 1979. It was moved by Mrs. Isely and seconded by Mr. Britton that the minutes be approved as printed. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Garrison asked for approval of the minutes of the meeting of June 11, 1979. It was moved by Mr. Bray and seconded by Mrs. Arnold that the minutes be approved as printed. The motion carried unanimously.

CITIZEN COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Edward Rendon, President of the East Town Lake Citizens introduced Mrs. Mary Muniz and explained that she would speak on the concerns of the neighborhood group. Mrs. Muniz stated that they were concerned about the improvements of the irrigation system, picnic tables, B-B-Q pits and trees on Festival Beach. Mr. Ehrler explained that the purchasing process can be lengthy. The City Purchases and Stores Department has to advertise for bids, receive the bids and the City Council awards the bids. The City Council just recently awarded the bid for the irrigation system and parts have been ordered. Everything must go through due process according to City policies and ordinances. Mr. Garrison explained that the Parks and Recreation Department does not handle the processing of bids. Mr. Ehrler explained that trees have not been planted because the irrigation system has to be put in first, and the system would be put in as soon as all parts are received. Mrs. Muniz asked if the bleachers on Festival Beach could be moved some place where they will be used. Mr. Ramos suggested they be moved

to the Little League fields at Martin School. Mr. Ehrler stated that the Parks and Recreation Department staff would look into the matter and place the bleachers where they could be best utilized. Mrs. Muniz stated that their group was also interested in having a mural placed on Festival Beach. Money for the mural was available and Mr. Raul Valdez, an artist from the League of United Chicano Artists would do the art work. Mr. Garrison explained the Board would need information as to the size, the exact site, etc. Mr. Valdez stated that the plan had first been for a three-dimensional mural on Festival Beach but they had changed their plans and would like to construct a 20' x 10' cinder block wall and properly prepare the surface before painting the mural. Mr. Ehrler stated that the request should go through the Arts Commission. Mr. Valdez stated that the mural was a City funded project through a service contract. Mr. Hall stated that he was concerned about the physical aspects of the project. Mr. Ehrler explained that the Arts Commission would have to review a scale model. Mr. Valdez stated there was not enough money for a scale model. Mrs. Arnold explained that drawings would be needed and she felt the project should be cleared through the Arts Commission. Mr. Garrison stated that the Parks and Recreation Board could approve a site selection after the matter was brought before the Arts Commission. Mr. Rendon explained that the money allocated for the project needed to be used by September 30, 1979. Mr. Garrison explained the project would have to meet the criteria set by the Arts Commission before the item could be placed back on the Parks and Recreation Board agenda for action.

Mr. Leonard E. Spivey, President of the Delwood Northeast Optimist Club, gave a brief history of the club's involvement in the Little League program since 1956. Mr. Spivey explained their club has been meeting for years in different restaurants in the area, but it was becoming difficult for the restaurants to accommodate them. They were requesting permission to build a second story to their concession stand located at Bartholomew Park in northeast Austin. Mr. Garrison explained there was an item later on the agenda that would deal with policies for buildings or facilities proposed for construction on park land. Mrs. Arnold asked if they usually approve use of a facility for meetings? Mr. Hall asked that Mr. Spivey put their request in letter form so the item could be placed on the agenda as an item for action. Mr. Bray asked that the Parks and Recreation Department staff meet with them prior to the July 24th meeting to determine whether the plans met the proposed guidelines and also whether such use of a building constructed on park land would be permissible. Mr. Ehrler asked that Mr. Spivey call and make an appointment to discuss the matter.

#### ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

Mrs. Isely commented on bank erosion on Barton Creek. Two large Pecan trees have fallen into the creek and she was wondering if the Boy Scouts could be contacted about building gabions to stabilize other trees. Frank Hodge, Assistant Superintendent of Parks explained the bank was very steep in the vicinity and they could not get equipment in to remove the trees. The bank was very unstable and gabions would not work in this area. Mr. Coffee asked about Barton Creek land acquisition. Mr. Ehrler explained the Property Management Department was working on the acquisition and a small tract would be approved by City Council on Thursday. Also, the City Council has charged the Parks and Recreation Department, Engineering Department and Property Management and Environmental Resource Department to submit a study of land acquisition on Barton Creek within 30 days. Mr. Hall asked about the present

and future use of Mayfield Park. Mr. Ehrler explained the Outdoor Nature Program Section of the Parks and Recreation Department were presently housed at the facility. Mr. Hall explained someone had offered him a number of plants and he would be glad to donate them for use at the facility. He also inquired about the status of the Bryker Woods Outdoor Classroom. Mr. Ehrler stated that the project was not far enough along at this point for advertising of any kind and to date the Parks and Recreation Department has not been contacted by the persons involved.

#### AQUA FESTIVAL REQUESTS

Mr. Art Keller, Executive Director for Aqua Festival, was present to speak concerning requests for use of various Parks and Recreation Department sites and events on Town Lake for Aqua Festival activities. After discussion, it was moved by Mr. Hall and seconded by Mr. Nalle that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend to the Mayor and City Council approval of the following Parks and Recreation Department sites and events on Town Lake for Aqua Festival activities:

1. Novice Water Ski Tournament, July 21 and 22 and Texas Water Ski Championship, July 28 and 29, 1979, including (a) use of Town Lake and Festival Beach as an event and spectator area; (b) use of inboard and outboard motorboats in promoting, staging, and conducting event; (c) permission to allow participants in these events to camp on Festival Beach.
2. Flatwater Canoe Races, July 28, 1979, including permission for a power safety boat on Town Lake between Tom Miller Dam and Festival Beach.
3. Motorcycle Trials, July 29, 1979, at Lake Austin Park.
4. Aqua Fest Nights on Auditorium Shores, August 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, 1979, and closing of hike and bike trail in the area and gazebo.
5. Small Fry Fishing Derby, August 4, 1979, at Northwest Park pond.
6. Water Parade, August 10, 1979, which includes:
  - a. Use of Town Lake, Festival Beach and Auditorium Shores, as an event and spectator area.
  - b. Use of motorboats on Town Lake in conjunction with staging area and practice sessions prior to parade date.
  - c. Permission to hold aerial fireworks display at Auditorium Shores area on south bank of Town Lake.
  - d. Permission for conducting a Kamaski Jet Ski and Skiing demonstration on Town Lake.
  - e. Permission to allow the landing of amphibious airplane on Town Lake adjacent to Auditorium Shores (subject to airport and F.A.A. approval).
7. Concours De Elegance, August 12, 1979 (a) request permission to use parking area behind Parks and Recreation Building for display of Jaguar sports cars.

The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Keller also thanked the Board and the Parks and Recreation Department for their very fair and professional assessment of the proposed boat race site on Lake Austin during trial runs.

#### BOAT DOCK REQUEST BY MR. HANSLER

Mr. Garrison explained the next item for action was consideration of approval of a request to construct a boat dock on Lake Austin at 1513 Manana Street. He also read the following memorandum from Mr. Lonnie E. Davis, Director of the Building Department:

"An inspection made by this department revealed a boat dock under construction at 1513 Manana which did not have a building permit. A "stop work" order was affixed to this structure on April 10, 1979.

Subsequently, a violation notice was left at the premises on April 18, 1979, and a letter was sent to Mr. Hansler on May 8, 1979, notifying him to initiate the proper application procedures by May 28, 1979.

Construction of the boat dock at this location was completed on May 24, 1979. The dock extends 45' into Lake Austin and would require City Council approval. At the present time, the lighting on this dock does not meet Code requirements."

Mr. Hansler stated that he was guilty of all that was reported in the memorandum and the water was only 14" deep in the area where a 30' dock would be. Also, he had a flashing light on the dock. Mr. Nalle asked Mr. Hansler if he did not believe the requirements that had been specified by the Building Department. Mr. Hansler stated that he did, but wanted to use the dock as long as possible before he had to remove it. After further discussion, Mr. Nalle stated that a 45' dock in this particular location would be totally unacceptable. Mr. Hansler explained there were other docks on the lake longer than his. Mr. Hansler explained he worked for the City of Austin as a Subdivision Inspector. Mr. Nalle stated that he felt this was the most flagrant disregard for the law that he has seen, especially being a City employee. A lot of people have constructed facilities on the lake because they did not know the proper procedures, but Mr. Hansler deliberately violated the law knowing full well what procedures were necessary. Mr. Bray asked how long a boat dock could be. Mr. Nalle stated that a boat dock could extend 30', but beyond that length would have to go to City Council for approval, and the dock would have to have proper lighting according to specifications set by ordinance. He also explained there were docks 90' long on the lake but they were recessed and the dock that Mr. Hansler had constructed was just around the bend from Lake Austin Park and the lake was narrow in the area. After further discussion it was moved by Mr. Nalle and seconded by Mr. Coffee, that Mr. Hansler reduce the boat dock to 30' and that proper lighting be installed according to Building Department standards. Mr. Bray asked Linda Cannon from the Building Department to comment on the matter. Ms. Cannon explained the water at the 30' length was at least three feet deep. There was a 45' dock next to Mr. Hansler's, but she did not know when the dock was constructed or approved. After further discussion, the motion carried unanimously. Mrs. Arnold asked that the Building Department check on the dock next to Mr. Hansler and that Mr. Hansler could take his request to the City Council if he so desired.

BOAT RAMP ON LAKE AUSTIN AT MARY QUINLAN PARK

Mr. Jose M. Gil from Gil Engineering Associates, explained the land at the Mary Quinlan Park consisting of 5.1 acres, had been donated by the Quinlan family to Travis County. The Travis County Commissioner's Court and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department were jointly asking to construct a boat ramp on the northern shores of Lake Austin at the Mary Quinlan Park, and it would be open to the public free of charge. The project consists of a concrete boat ramp 48' wide and a parking lot for approximately 30 cars with boat trailers. The ramp and parking lot are well suited to the site's topography and very little excavation will be required. All existing picnic sites will remain undisturbed, however, it will be necessary to remove a single 6" caliper willow tree from the shoreline to provide an opening into the water. All other trees will remain undisturbed. The construction contract documents contain provisions to eliminate or mitigate erosion and siltation as required by City of Austin's Ordinance No. 781102C and an application for a development permit has been submitted to the City Engineering Department.

Mrs. Arnold asked how much the project would cost. Mr. Gil explained the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department has allocated \$23,500 and Travis County \$16,100. After the boat ramp has been constructed the State of Texas will maintain it for 25 years. Travis County will continue the cleaning maintenance. After further discussion, it was moved by Mr. Coffee and seconded by Mr. Bray that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend to the Mayor and City Council approval of a request from the Travis County Commissioner's Court and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department to construct a 48' wide concrete boat ramp on Lake Austin at the Mary Quinlan Park site, after meeting all City of Austin building and engineering requirements. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Nalle asked how the boat ramp could be constructed without lowering Lake Austin. Mr. Gil explained the ramp would be constructed on dry land in sections and pushed into the lake. Col. Beal from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department explained the construction procedure, pointing out solid limestone was in this area of the lake and no excavation would be necessary. There was only 14" of silt and this could be taken off with a Grapple. Each ramp slab would provide its own grade when pushed into the water. Mr. Nalle asked about the time frame. Mr. Gil stated that after all permits are received and bids in they should be able to start in approximately one month. Mr. Garrison thanked Mr. Gil for his presentation.

SUN DECK ON LAKE AUSTIN FOR MR. BOB GREGORY

Mr. Bob Gregory stated that he was asking for permission to build a sun deck on his property on Lake Austin located at 2695 West Lake, directly across from the Laguna Gloria Museum property. It was moved by Mr. Nalle and seconded by Mr. Hall that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend approval of construction of a sun deck with wrought iron railing as requested by Mr. Bob Gregory, without the construction of a room on top of the sun deck. Mr. Gregory explained that he was proposing to build the sun deck structurally sound enough to add a room on and asked if there would be any problem with this request. Mr. Nalle explained the Board was presently formulating navigation policies that would prohibit building rooms or storage areas above sun decks or boat docks, and he would have a problem with granting permission to build a room above the sun deck. The sun deck Mr. Gregory was proposing would be very

beautiful. Mr. Gregory explained he has a house 200' from the water. Mrs. Arnold explained a similar request had come before the Board at the June 11 meeting and Mr. Bruner, the individual involved, had supplied a deed restriction stating the room would never be lived in and would be strictly for storage purposes. Perhaps Mr. Gregory would be interested in supplying such a deed restriction. Mr. Bray explained there could be a problem with a sanitary sewer so close to the water. After further discussion, the motion carried unanimously.

FEES FOR LICENSE AGREEMENT FOR U. T. WATER SKI TEAM  
FOR A WATER SKI SLALOM COURSE ON LAKE WALTER E. LONG

Mr. Gordon Hall, Team Captain for the U. T. Water Ski Team, explained they had appeared before the Parks and Recreation Board previously for permission to place a water ski slalom course on Lake Walter E. Long. The Board recommended to City Council approval of the request. The U. T. Water Ski Team had also previously been granted permission to place a water ski jump on Lake Long through a License Agreement with the City of Austin. Mr. Hall explained they have been working closely with Mr. Clay Strange of the Legal Department and when they appeared before the Board in May had neglected to ask that the Board recommend waiver of a supplemental License Agreement fee. Mr. Strange was recommending making the agreement for the water ski slalom course in the vicinity of the water ski jump a supplemental part of the License Agreement for the water ski jump. Mr. Strange was also recommending that should the Parks and Recreation Board and ultimately the City Council determine that permission should be granted for the course, that the original License Agreement with the payment of the initial fee of \$100 and an annual fee of \$50, be supplemented and amended without the necessity of paying additional fees to include the water ski slalom course. The City Council at its meeting held on May 24, 1979, made the following motion: "The Council, on Councilmember Himmelblau's motion, Mayor McClellan's second, approved the installation of a regulation slalom course on the far east side of the dam on Lake Walter E. Long; U. T. Water Ski Team to go back to Parks Board for their request for waiver of the license fee. (6-0 vote, Councilmember Goodman was out of the room)."

After further discussion, it was moved by Mr. Bray and seconded by Mrs. Arnold that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend to the Mayor and City Council that the request of the U. T. Water Ski Team to place a water ski slalom course in the vicinity of their water ski jump on Lake Walter E. Long be approved and that the original License Agreement for a water ski jump on Lake Long with the payment of the initial fee of \$100 and an annual fee of \$50, be supplemented and amended without the necessity of paying additional fees to include the water ski slalom course. The motion carried unanimously.

TOWN LAKE DOCKING AREA FOR STERN WHEEL BOAT TO PICK UP  
ELDERLY AND HANDICAPPED BY CAPTAIN PETE BAGLEY

Captain Bagley explained he has permission for permanent docking facilities at the Ramada Inn South on Town Lake for patrons of the stern wheel boat he operates. He was appearing before the Board asking for permission to place approximately 5 pilings one foot from the bank of Town Lake in order to be able to load and unload persons confined to wheelchairs and the elderly in a safe manner. The pilings would be used to merely steady the boat during

the loading and unloading process. The loading location at the Ramada Inn has a steep bluff and the handicapped and elderly persons cannot be loaded safely there. Captain Bagley explained that he would finance and install the project and it can be done in one day. Mr. Coffee asked if this would be permanent docking. Captain Bagley explained that it would not and could be removed in one day. Mr. Bray asked what the Parks and Recreation Department recommendation would be. Mr. Ehrler explained the staff would work very closely with Captain Bagley and probably the most suitable pickup site would be approximately 175' west of IH-35 bridge on the north side of Town Lake in the vicinity of the Holiday Inn. It was moved by Mrs. Isely and seconded by Mr. Coffee that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend approval of a request from Captain Pete Bagley, who presently operates a stern wheel boat on Town Lake, for permission to place temporary pilings on Town Lake to steady the boat in order to load and unload persons confined to wheelchairs and the elderly, at a site recommended by the Parks and Recreation Department staff. The motion carried unanimously. Mrs. Arnold expressed thanks to Captain Bagley for his thoughtfulness in providing access to boat excursions for the elderly and persons confined to wheelchairs.

#### PUBLIC HEARING FOR TENNIS CENTER SITE SELECTION

Mr. Garrison stated that the Parks and Recreation Board at their regularly scheduled meeting to be held Monday, July 9, 1979, will hold a public hearing on that date for the 16 court tennis center site selection. Mr. Hall asked if the meeting could be held at night rather than the regular noon meeting, due to the interest in the tennis center. He also explained the choices of the Tennis Center Planning Advisory Committee for sites were:

1. Tony Burger Center.
2. Property on West First Street near the Humane Society.
3. South Austin Recreation Center
4. Larson property on Highway 290-West.

Mr. Garrison stated that he felt the hearing should be held at the regular noon meeting.

#### RE-ALLOCATION OF L.B.J. TENNIS COURTS C.I.P. FUNDS

Mr. Ehrler explained that on March 28, 1979, a memorandum had been sent to the Tennis Advisory Board explaining the cost overrun for the proposed 8 tennis court complex at L.B.J. High School, to be jointly operated by the Austin Independent School District and the City of Austin, was at that time \$51,000 above the \$130,000 available. It was felt that the L.B.J. tennis court design be completed for future implementation but that the project be deferred until some future date when adequate funding can be secured. The \$117,000 projected balance in the project could be transferred to other tennis projects with approval of the City Council. After discussion, it has been recommended by the Tennis Advisory Board and the Parks and Recreation Department, that a portion of the funds allocated for the L.B.J. tennis court complex be used for east Austin tennis improvements and a portion be used for the new 16 court tennis center. After further discussion, it was moved by Mr. Bray and seconded by Mr. Hall, that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend to the Mayor and City Council approval of the re-allocation of the projected remaining

balance of \$117,000 from the C.I.P. funds for the L.B.J. High School 8 court tennis complex as follows:

<u>Givens Park:</u>	Light two existing courts .....	\$ 20,000
	Color coat all four courts .....	1,000
	Place fence on two old courts .....	2,400
	Guard on existing backboard .....	600
	Install windscreens .....	100
	Misc. ....	900
		<u>\$ 25,000</u>

Pharr Tennis Center: Build backboard (with lights, fence). \$ 25,000

16 Court Tennis Center: ..... \$ 67,000

Total \$117,000

Mr. Don Harris from the Top Spin Racquet Club explained his group was very much in favor of the recommendation and the Parks and Recreation Department have been very cooperative in their efforts to seek improvements for tennis courts in the east Austin area. Mr. Bray asked about the problem with the courts proposed at the L.B.J. High School. Mr. Ehrler stated that the bids were almost twice the amount of money allocated. He also wanted to emphasize the Parks and Recreation Department was not suggesting deleting the project. Crystal Stewart from the Planning Section staff stated that they have had to change the plans twice and still could not come in with bids within the allocated funds. After further discussion, the motion carried unanimously.

#### PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD POLICIES FOR BUILDINGS OR FACILITIES PROPOSED FOR CONSTRUCTION ON PARK LAND

Mr. Coffee stated that he would like to add to sentence three of the proposed policies after the word property "aside from meeting other City building regulations..." Mr. Coffee explained that the requirement to have building plans designed and sealed by an architect registered in the State of Texas, or building plans designed and signed by a building designer recognized by the American Institute of Building Design might create more expense in some cases for organizations, but generally any organization desiring to construct buildings or other facilities on park land have architects or engineers who can do the work for them. The proposed policies would not solve all the problems, but would certainly make groups more responsible for what they propose building on park land. Mr. Ehrler explained the Austin Softball Association has just completed a \$30,000 concession building at the Krieg Athletic Complex and it is very attractive. After further discussion, it was moved by Mr. Coffee and seconded by Mr. Hall, that the Parks and Recreation Board approve the following policies regarding buildings or facilities proposed for construction on park land:

"Buildings proposed by concessionaires or others desiring to construct buildings or other facilities on City park property, aside from meeting other City building regulations, will conform to the following criteria:



"A. Buildings Designed by the Applicant:

1. Building plans will be designed and sealed by an architect registered in the State of Texas, or designed and signed by a building designer recognized by the American Institute of Building Design.
2. Landscape plans will be designed and sealed by a registered Landscape Architect.
3. Engineering projects will be designed and sealed by a registered Engineer.
4. All utility service to be placed underground.
5. Construction to be durable and as maintenance free as possible.
6. Facility to be designed to accommodate the handicapped.
7. Energy efficient equipment and construction techniques be employed to the maximum degree possible.
8. Final designs will be approved by the Parks and Recreation Board.
9. The appropriate design professional, i.e., registered Architect, Landscape Architect or Engineer or their registered designee shall be present for presentation to the Parks and Recreation Board.

B. Prototype Park Structures:

1. The concessionaire or applicant may construct a desired building or park structure that conforms to "Prototype" park structure plans previously approved as suitable by the Parks and Recreation Department staff.
2. Final approval will be by the Parks and Recreation Board.

The Parks and Recreation Board will review plans after completion of a preliminary design, which will reflect the proposed location, the intended use and sufficient perspective and elevation drawings to depict the appearance of the building. After the preliminary designs are approved by the Parks and Recreation Board, the detailed construction documents will be finalized with input from the Facilities Planning and Construction Division of the Public Works Department and Parks and Recreation Department staff."

The motion carried unanimously.

# GENERAL FUND REVENUE FEES AND CHARGES

Mr. Ehrler explained the Parks and Recreation Department as directed by the City Manager and City Council have made a staff recommendation for an adjustment in the general fund revenues for fees and charges. He wanted to point out to the Board that 95% of the fees proposed that are being adjusted upward relate to adult activities. Also, the consumer price index was used as a major parameter for the calculation of the proposed fees and charges and the Research and Budget Director is in complete support of the proposals. Mr. Bray asked how long it has been since increases were made. Mr. Bob Delaney, Superintendent of Administration, stated that changes were made in March 1976, or approximately three years ago. After further discussion, it was moved by Mr. Bray and seconded by Mrs. Isely that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend to the Mayor and City Council approval of the following Parks and Recreation Department adjusted general revenue fees:

## " I. ADMISSION FEES

Adults	\$ 1.00
Juniors (12-17 years)	.50
Children	.25
Swim Tickets (40 swims)	30.00
Learn-to-Swim	3.50*
Junior Swim Cards (40 swims)	15.00
Children Swim Cards (40 swims)	7.50

\*Fees to Special Revenue to offset direct cost

## II. LAKE AUSTIN AND LAKE LONG

Admission (per car)	\$ 1.50
Admission (per pedestrian)	.75
Campsite-With Electricity (per day)	5.00
Campsite-Without Electricity (per day)	3.00
Overnight Fishermen	3.00

## III. RECREATION CENTER FEES

### Annual Registration

Adult Resident	\$ 1.25
Junior Resident (12-17 years)	.65
Adult Non-Resident	5.00
Junior Non-Resident (12-17 years)	2.50

### Concession at Ball Fields

Per Game	\$ 5.00
Per Tournament, Per Field (8:00 a.m. to dusk)	10.00

III. Continued

Equipment Rentals

PA System Portable	\$10.00
PA System (Built-in)	25.00
Record Player	10.00
Piano	20.00

Set-Up Fee

Chair Folding-each	\$ .10
Table Banquet-each	.40
Table Card-each	.25

IV. TENNIS FEES

Tennis Centers - Annual Fees

Adult Resident	\$125.00
Adult Non-Resident	190.00
Junior Resident (12-17 years)	19.00
Junior Non-Resident (12-17 years)	30.00
Family Membership Resident	163.00
Family Membership Non-Resident	250.00

Court Fees (Per Person-Per 1½ Hours)

Adult	\$ 1.25
Children (under 12 years)	.75
Adult Non-Resident	2.00
Children Non-Resident (under 12 years)	1.15

Annual Locker Fee

Resident	\$ 12.50
Non-Resident	20.00

Tournament Fees

Adult	\$ 1.90
Juniors (12-17 years)	.75

Neighborhood Tennis Courts

(Per Person-Per 1½ Hours)	\$ 1.25
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V. FACILITY USE FEES

Municipal Clubhouse

Minimum - 7:00 p.m. - 12 Midnight	\$ 50.00
Each additional hour	12.50

Zilker Clubhouse

Minimum - 7:00 p.m. - 12 Midnight	\$ 50.00
Each additional hour	12.50
EXCEPTION: 7:00 a.m. - 12 Midnight	95.00

Fiesta Gardens

Commercial and/or Fund Raising Minimum Fee (building or patio)	\$125.00
Minimum both building and patio	215.00
Each additional hour	60.00
Non-Commercial and/or Municipal sponsored (minimum of 5 hours - building or patio)	95.00
Minimum both building and patio	125.00
Each additional hour	25.00

Garden Center

Minimum Fee (3 hours)	\$ 95.00
Each additional hour	12.50

Zaragosa Terrace

Minimum Fee (5 hours)	\$ 50.00
With Special Lighting	65.00

Hillside Theatre

Minimum Fee (2 hour performance)	\$ 35.00
With Special Lighting	65.00

Austin Recreation Center Gym

Minimum Fee (4 hours)	
No admission fee charged	\$ 50.00
Admission Charged-Non Profit Organization	95.00
Admission charged-Commercial	125.00
Each additional hour	19.00

All Other Gyms

Minimum Fee (4 hours)	
No admission fee charged	\$ 63.00
Admission Charged-Non Profit Organization	125.00
Admission Charged-Commercial	188.00
Each additional hour	25.00

V. FACILITY USE FEES (continued)

Main Ball/Meeting Rooms (1,500-2,000 sq. ft.)

Minimum Fee (4 hours)	\$ 38.00
Each additional hour	10.00

Game Room (up to 1,500 sq. ft.)

Minimum Fee (4 hours)	\$ 31.00
Each additional hour	10.00

Club Rooms (up to 700 sq. ft.)

Minimum Fee (4 hours)	\$ 19.00
Each additional hour	10.00

Kitchen

Minimum Fee (with reservation of another meeting space)	\$ 19.00
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Group Picnic Unit

Minimum Fee	\$ 15.00
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VI. ATHLETIC FEES

Softball, Football, Soccer, Rugby Fields

Per Game	\$ 10.00
Per Tournament, Per Field (8 a.m. to Dusk)	20.00

<u>Baseball Fields</u>	\$ 20.00
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<u>Any Field (night time play per hour for lights)</u>	\$ 15.00
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<u>Krieg Complex-All Weekend</u>	\$250.00
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VII. GOLF FEES

Green Fees (including surcharge) - Jimmy Clay, Morris Williams and Lion's Municipal

Regular Round (weekends and holidays)	\$ 4.50
Regular Round	4.00
Evening Round	3.00
Senior Round (weekdays only)	2.25
Junior Round (weekdays only)	1.50
Early Bird Round (weekdays only)	2.50

VII. GOLF FEES (continued)

Green Fees (including surcharge) - Hancock

Regular Round (weekends and holidays)	\$ 4.00
Regular Round	3.50
Short Round	2.50
Senior Round	1.50
Junior Round	1.00

Special Rates

University of Texas Faculty Annual Fee - 7 days (Lion's Municipal Only)	\$150.00*
University of Texas Students (Lion's Municipal Only)	

Annual Fee (7 days)	\$ 99.00*
Semester Fee (7 days)	33.00*

University of Texas Golf Team (All Courses)	Exempt
Intramurals (The University of Texas)	\$ 1.50

Annual Cards

Individual	\$200.00*
2-Member Family	325.00*
Senior Individual	100.00*
Senior Husband and Wife	150.00*
Junior Individual	45.00*
College Golf Team	60.00*
Summer Junior Card	20.00*
7-Day Discount	75.00 + \$3/round

\* Each of these fees will be assessed the surcharge of 25¢ for Junior/Senior and 50¢ for all others each time they play.

Golf Cart Fees

Private Carts	\$ 30.00"
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The motion carried unanimously.

PROPOSED BOAT DOCK NUMBERING PROGRAM AND ORDINANCE  
FOR LAKE AUSTIN, LAKE LONG AND TOWN LAKE

Mr. Bray asked Mr. Nalle if he would be willing to consider this request as a part of the proposed navigation policies. Mr. Nalle stated that he would like for the Board to consider the request separately. Preston Wheeler, Supervisor of Park Rangers, explained the reason for numbering docks on Lake Austin, Lake Long and Town Lake, would be to facilitate finding an area easier at night or in case of an accident on one of the lakes. There would be a number with mileage on each particular lake, and it might take as long as one year to properly identify each dock. After further discussion, it was moved by Mr.

Nalle and seconded by Mrs. Arnold that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend to the Mayor and City Council approval of a proposed ordinance for the numbering of structures extending into or over Lake Austin, Lake Long, and Town Lake. The motion carried unanimously. The proposed ordinance would provide for the placement of an officially numbered metal tag identifying the location of the structure on the said lakes, and making it unlawful for any person, except a person acting under the authority of the City Manager of the City of Austin, to remove or cause to be removed any such tag from such a structure.

#### CAPITAL CITY TRAP AND SKEET CLUB

Mr. Sloan Brooks stated that he was representing the Capital City Trap and Skeet Club and was asking approval of their plans to construct a skeet and trap facility on Lake Long property. Mr. Ehrler explained the exact site needs to be approved by Parks and Recreation Department staff. Also, neighbors had reported they had heard shooting at the site over the weekend, and this must stop immediately. Mr. Brooks stated that they were firing while looking at the sites in the area, but would not do so again until the facility was completed. Mr. Brooks also stated that the fees would be \$2.50 for non-members and \$2 for members. A \$50 yearly membership fee will entitle a member to shoot at a reduced rate and participate in club functions. After further discussion, it was moved by Mr. Bray and seconded by Mr. Shaw that the Parks and Recreation Board recommend approval of construction plans for the Capital City Trap and Skeet Club for a skeet and trap facility on Lake Long property, after approval from other City departments involved and Parks and Recreation Department staff. The motion carried unanimously. Mr. Ehrler explained the Parks and Recreation Department staff would work very closely with the organization.

#### ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

Mrs. Arnold asked if the correspondence from the Travis Audubon Society in the agenda concerning easements along Shoal Creek between 29th and 45 Streets for the purpose of continuing the Shoal Creek Hike and Bike Trail, was the same property that was currently under bankruptcy proceedings. Mr. Ehrler stated that part of it was and the Legal Department was checking on the status of the property. Mrs. Arnold stated that the land was very important and certainly hoped that a followup was made through the Legal Department. Mr. Bray asked if a staff report could be given to the Board in August on the status of the property.

Mr. Garrison stated that the report on bow fishing on Town Lake and Lake Austin was interesting and it was good to note there were no problems involved at all.

Mr. Ehrler stated that the next item for information concerning recommendations from the South Austin Citizen's Advisory Board were already in the C.I.P. and bids were being awarded by the City Council. The proposal included a diving well at Gillis Pool and wading pools at Guerrero, Odom and Clarksville Parks.

#### PARKS AND RECREATION DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Ehrler stated that Don Cramer from Grand Prairie, Texas, has been selected to fill the vacancy for Assistant Director of Operations and would report for duty on July 16, 1979.

Mr. Bray asked what the City Council did about Barton Creek. Mr. Ehrler explained City Council charged the Engineering Department, Property Management Department, Environmental Resources Department and the Parks and Recreation Department to bring back a report on the Barton Creek Watershed to see how broad they should be in allocating monies for the purchase of greenbelt acquisition along Barton Creek for the next bond election. Apparently the water in Barton Springs Pool is not as clean looking as in the past and this is probably due to development in the Barton Creek Watershed. All departments involved were presently working on the study according to their best judgement. Mrs. Arnold asked if the Board could review the study before it was sent to City Council. Mr. Ehrler stated that this could be done.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00 p.m.